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I—Authorized Capital £6,000,000

Subscribed Capital £4,500,000

Paid-up Capital £2,477,500

II—Fire Funds..... 3,837,047

III—Life & Annuity Funds..... 17,567,580

Sinking Fund Account..... 128,230

£23,970,367

Revenue Fire Branch..... £2,881,456

Life & Annuity Branch..... 2,141,583

Revenue Marine Department..... 337,239

Other Receipts..... 476,940

£25,838,228

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10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
11.30 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
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Hongkong, July 30, 1918. 633

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CHAIR BEARERS have to be licensed at a Fee of 30 cents each yearly.

P. P. J. WODEHOUSE,
Captain Superintendent of Police.
Hongkong, Aug. 16, 1918. 671

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
ELECTION.

TO THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE
OF THE COLONY OF HONGKONG.

IT is my intention to stand for the
vacancy on the Legislative Council to
represent the Justices of the Peace
during the two months' absence of the
Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C.

Mr. Andrew Forbes has proposed and
Mr. Evan'Orpington has seconded my
nomination.

If I am elected, I will do the best I
can in the interests of the Colony—the
Commercial Community of which I
have been associated with for the past
twenty years.

I have the honour to be,
Gentlemen,

Yours obedient servant,
A. R. LOWE.
Hongkong, Aug. 19, 1918. 683

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Hongkong, Aug. 20, 1918. 684

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the 27th August, 1918, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Ice House Street.

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Manager.HONGKONG BRANCH:
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Hongkong, May 1, 1918. 691

SCOTTISH NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

GLASGOW, June 17.
ME. BONAR LAW AND
GLASGOW.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Bonar Law, has accepted the invitation of the Executive of the Unionist Association of the Central Division of Glasgow to become their candidate at the next General Election.

The proposal to bring Mr.

Bonar Law to Glasgow was made by Mr. John M. MacLeod, the present member for the Division, who in a letter to the Executive wrote that

it would be a matter of very great importance to the West of Scotland if Mr. Bonar Law could be induced to return to Glasgow and stand for election as member for the Central Division.

Mr. Bonar Law's first

entry into Parliament, it may be

mentioned, was as member for the Blackfriars Division of Glasgow.

Mr. MacLeod further pointed out

that after the war the mighty

problems that will fall to be dealt with

will be largely industrial and commercial, and that Mr. Bonar Law

might wish to be in touch with a big centre of commerce and industrial life.

The Executive then ap-

proached Mr. Bonar Law, and they

have just received a letter in which

their proposal is accepted.

Mr. Bonar Law says that he greatly ap-

preciated the action of Mr. Mac-

Leod, and would not have been will-

ing to take advantage of it had he

not every reason to believe that

another constituency would be avail-

able for him.

Mr. Bonar Law adds that all his associations have been

with Glasgow, the whole of his busi-

ness life was spent in the Central

Division, and for that reason no con-

stituency was more attractive to him.

A TUSCANIA INCIDENT.

Two Isleay Sherman have received

the award of medals of the Order of

the British Empire.

Robert Morrison and Duncan Campbell, coast

watchers. The American Red Cross

will state that he had desired and

provided that his dear brother, George A. P. Haldane Duncan, should be his residuary legatee and

inherit the main part of his

property, but his brother had on

more than one occasion in recent

years, and in writing, informed the

testator that it was his final resolve

not to assume the title or take any

benefit under the will or from his

succession to the entitled estates.

To this request the Earl had rejec-

tantly agreed, and it was solely in

deference to his brother's expressed

wishes that no provision was now

made for him.

George Haldane Duncan, the

younger brother of the late Earl,

is 73 years of age, resides in Boston,

U.S.A., and was for many years a

partner in the firm of Maudsley

Sons & Field. By the late Earl's

will, the estates of Glencairn, Per-

tis, are made over to James B.

Chingrey Haldane, Alitshelach, Bal-

lachulach, and the estates in Forfar-

shire, including Lundie, made over

to Joseph Murray, estate agent,

Dundee. Among other bequests

of the late Earl, are the

titles of Viscount and

Baron of Glencairn.

SINN FEIN MOVEMENT IN

GLASGOW.

A considerable expansion of the

Sinn Fein movement has recently

taken place in the Glasgow district.

There have always been in existence

Irish organisations of a more or less

advanced political type, but the new

movement in some cases has de-

veloped a stronger tendency in the

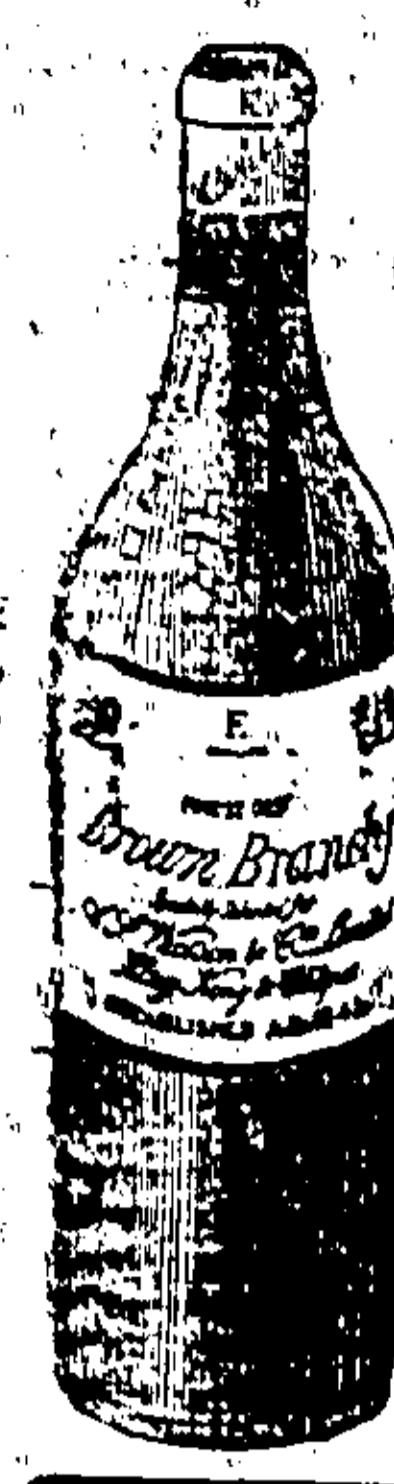
direction of aggressive propaganda.

It is known to the authorities that

there are at least seven Sinn Fein

circles in the City, some of them

having a considerable membership.



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By Order,

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Kowloon, 22nd Aug. 1918. 693PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.
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Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd.,
Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk.Consignment of cargo are hereby notified
that they must produce an Import Permit
signed by the Superintendent of Imports
and Exports, Hongkong, and must also
complete assignment of existing rights
and claims against the Dutch steamer
s.s. "ARAKAN" as required by the
Division of Operations of the United
States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet
Corporation, before Bills of Lading can
be countersigned.All broken, chafed and damaged Good
are to be left to the Godown, where they
will be examined on MONDAY, the
20th August, 1918, at 10 A.M.All claims must be presented within one
month of the steamer's arrival here, after
which they cannot be admitted.No Claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godowns and all
Goods remaining undelivered after the
28th August, 1918, will be subject to reut.
No Fire Insurance whatever will be
affected.Consignees are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading for countersignature
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J. ORAM SHEPPARD,
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TELEGRAMS.

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BRITISH AIRMEN'S CEASELESS WORK.

21-MACHINES BROUGHT DOWN.

London, Aug. 20.—Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, reporting on aviation, says:—

Early in the morning of the 19th we very successfully attacked the Phalempin aerodrome to the south of Lille. We dropped many bombs from low heights and machine-gunned ground targets. We hit several aeroplane sheds and started big fires. We drove off enemy machines which attempted to interfere. All our machines returned.

We also bombed the Bruges docks, the Roised railway and a number of dumps.

The total weight of bombs dropped during the day was 15 tons.

We brought down 14 aeroplanes and drove down seven out of control.

Seven British machines are missing.

BRITISH STEADY PRESSURE IN LYS REGION.

ENEMY FALLING BACK.

London, Aug. 20.—Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters, telegraphing today, says:—

Our patrols have maintained steady pressure on the withdrawing enemy and inflicted considerable casualties.

The enemy manifestly continues his "jumpy" condition. Early this morning he furiously barraged the La Clyte-Scherpenberg road. Apparently it was a protective movement with no infantry movement following.

In our advance near Vieux Béquin all our objectives were gained.

The enemy troops are now falling back. They belong to the Sixth German Army, commanded by General von Quast, while General von Bernhardi is the Corps Commander directly concerned. As the latter's writings embrace tactical theories to fit every conceivable situation it remains to be seen how far these will be vindicated in practice.

Much rain has fallen during the night, but the ground is still "good going."

GERMAN ARMY'S PREDICAMENT.

ENEMY INFANTRY REGIMENT DISOBEDY ORDER.

London, Aug. 20.—Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters, telegraphing this evening, says:—

If the German retreat is according to plan, they are now confronted with a situation which must complicate their calculations.

The hasty abandonment of Merle on the 18th was doubtless due to our unexpectedly obtaining possession of the dominating contour east of Merle.

So far we have followed the Germans, since the beginning of the withdrawal, to the extent of 6,000 yards.

A captured order, signed by General Schleswitz, General von Eutin's Chief of Staff, states that the homeward march of the Second Army have been specially examined, disclosing a wholesale disregard of the regulations on the part of officers and men in writing "exaggerated accounts of the enemy's success and making false statements regarding the casualties, food and clothing shortage, etc." It points out that the writing of pessimistic letters is a punishable offence.

It is definitely stated that the 416th Infantry Regiment refused to obey an order to attack Puisieux recently and sent a written protest to their regimental commander.

Nineteen officers and 843 men had been taken prisoner in Flunders up to last night.

The enemy's losses are very heavy.

CABINET-MAKING IN HOLLAND.

The Hague, Aug. 20.—M. Nolens, a Catholic member of the Second Chamber, who had been charged by Queen Wilhelmina to form a ministry, has finally withdrawn his resignation.

SPAIN AND GERMANY.

THE SPANISH NOTE TO GERMANY.

Madrid, Aug. 21.—

It is officially announced that the Council of Ministers yesterday finally approved a Note recapitulating the German outrages whereby twenty per cent. of the Spanish mercantile marine has been sunk and over one hundred Spanish lives have been lost, and declaring that any fresh torpedoing will be followed by the seizure, as a temporary measure, for the duration of the war, of German ships anchored in Spanish ports to an amount corresponding to the Spanish tonnage which has been sunk.

Instructions to this effect have been sent to the Spanish Ambassador at Berlin and it is hoped that the German Government will recognise that this decision is not incompatible with strict neutrality which Spain has always observed and intends to observe.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Aug. 21.—

Senior Dato, denies that the Government has received "a Note from Germany threatening a rupture of relations.

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FRENCH CONTINUE TO PROGRESS.

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A French communiqué says:—

"Between the Oise and the Ouse we continued to make progress. On

"We captured Fismes, notwithstanding a desperate resistance and reached the western outskirts of Lassigny. Farther south, we succeeded in

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"Pushed on to the village of

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CONDITIONS IN MOSCOW.
REPORTS BY THE AMERICAN CONSUL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.
The State Department has issued a statement giving a summary of messages from the American Consul at Moscow, reading as follows:

"On July 29th Lenin declared before the official gathering of Soviets that war existed between the Russian Republic and the Allied Powers. The diplomatic representatives of France, Italy and the United States inquired of the Commissariat of Foreign Affairs if Lenin's declared statement should not be considered a declaration of war involving a rupture of de facto relations and the departure of the Consul.

"Foreign Commissary Tchitcherin said that this need not be; that it was a state of defence rather than a state of war, and that the Government desired to continue relations with the Entente, as it did with Germany under analogous circumstances. Three days later he said that inasmuch as Lenin's utterances were made behind closed doors at a meeting at which the agents of the Allies were present only by special courtesy on the part of the Soviet Government, a public explanation could not be given without a non-public utterance.

"On August 5th a conference was held between Tchitcherin and the Consul-General of Sweden, Japan, the United States and France. Firstly, the Soviet Government gave solemn assurance that persons of Allied nationality who have no diplomatic, or no official character, would not be molested; secondly, Tchitcherin stated that the Allied military missions would not be allowed to depart as had already been promised, and that other civilian persons arrested were hostages for the lives of the Soviet members in the territory occupied by the Allies. Tchitcherin said that these persons were civil prisoners arrested in accordance with the practices of war for internment. He added that no responsibility could be assumed for their future safety because Great Britain and France had already attacked Archangel without a declaration of war.

"Mr. Poole, the American Consul, replied that he was without knowledge of what had taken place in the north, but warned Tchitcherin that the people of the Allied nations could not be intimidated and that the initiation of a system of reprisals by the Soviet Government could only result in individual members of the Government being held responsible personally, and in the loss by the Bolsheviks of whatever respect it might now have in the minds of the civilized world.

"A message from Mr. Poole, dated August 6th, states that the authorities had forcibly entered the consulates-general of France and England on August 5th and arrested the Consul-General and their staff. They were released the following morning through the untiring good offices of the Swedish Consul-General. A guard around the consulates would not permit British and French nationals to approach. Feeling no assurance that the American consular-general would not be violated at any moment, Mr. Poole destroyed the code records. This made it impossible for him to carry on his functions and Mr. Poole asked the Swedish Consul-General to take over American interests, at the same time making a request for the facilities of the Soviet Government.

The Allied Consuls did likewise. All steps were being taken for the security of private American citizens and they had not been molested to far. Mr. Poole said that their departure would probably be by way of Petrograd and Stockholm.

"Mr. Poole reported the above occurrences to Secretary of State Lansing."

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